

SOUTH CAROLINA LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION



RENEWAL PRIVATE INVESTIGATION BUSINESS

The attached forms and information must be submitted to SLED Regulatory Services.

1. **LICENSE FEE - \$350.00** Annually – must be cashiers check, money order, company check, or personal check made payable to SLED. All fees are non-refundable and must be in the correct amount or will be returned with your application. There is no additional fee for the license holder's private investigation registration.
2. Application must be completed, signed, and notarized.
3. A new fingerprint card must be submitted every five years.
4. A current color photograph of applicant must be submitted every three years.
5. A continuation certificate or a surety bond for \$10,000.00 in favor of the State of South Carolina. Surety Company must be authorized to do business in this state. Bond form must state license holder's name and company name; principal and surety attorney-in-fact must sign it with two witnesses to each of his/her signatures. Power of attorney must be attached.
6. Form PD/PS-9 must be completed. If the company is not incorporated, the individual who is applying for license must have a financial interest in the company. If the business is a corporation and the corporate head does not wish to apply for the license, he may designate, in writing, a corporate official to complete the application for license.
7. Must submit documentation regarding continuing education. (2 hours of SLED training and 4 hours of "other" continuing education that has been approved by SLED. A total of 6 hours yearly, or 12 hours before renewing in 2006.)

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